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Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) by Express Mail is the incomplete patent application of **Jack G. Winterowd** of Puyallup, Washington; **Jerry Izan** of Tacoma, Washington; **Charles Lewis** of Federal Way, Washington; **Tri Tran** of Tacoma, Washington; and **Dan Hanson** of Auburn, Washington, entitled COMPOSITION AND METHOD FOR INHIBITING STAIN FORMATION IN A FLOOR COVERING.

- 1. An application consisting of 19 pages of specification, including the claims and the Abstract of the Disclosure, and 1 sheet of drawings is attached.
- X 2. A Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney is **not** attached. Please file this application in the names of the inventors listed above.

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Basic Fee							750
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Independent Claims	3 - 3	=	0	X	84	=	0
<u> </u>	TOTAL						\$804

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